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# DVD4000 DVD USERS GUIDE









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### **Features**

Thank you for choosing the Palsonic DVD4000 DVD Player. We strongly recommend that you carefully study this users guide before attempting to operate the unit and keep it for reference.

#### Your player provides:

- Composite video, S-video and component video (Y, CB, CR) outputs
- Coaxial and optical audio outputs with Dolby Digital and DTS bitstream
- Stereo audio output
- Hi-end sound quality: 96KHz/24Bit audio digital processor
- Intelligent software upgradability
- Compatible with DVD-Video, Video CD (VCD) Audio CD (CD-DA) and MP3 on CD-R/CD-RW

### Safety

## TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRES AND ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS UNIT TO RAIN OR MOISTURE!



#### **CAUTION:**

To reduce the risk of fire and electric shock do not remove the cover of the unit. Refer servicing only to qualified personnel.



This lightning flash arrow symbol in a triangle is intended to alert users to the presence of non-insulated high voltage within the product's enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of electric shock to a person.



The exclamation point symbol in a triangle is intended to alert users to the presence of important operating and maintenance instructions in the literature accompanying the unit.

CLASS 1 LASER PRODUCT CAUTION: INVISIBLE LASER RADIATION WHEN OPEN AND INTERLOCK DEFEATED. AVOID EXPOSURE TO BEAM.

Use of controls adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous radiation.

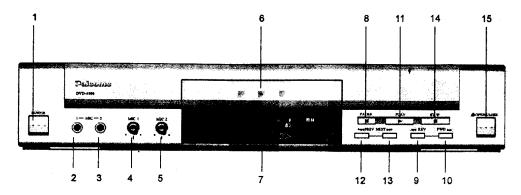
#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

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- Read through this instruction manual before installation and use.
- Do not touch the power plug with wet hands.
- When disconnecting the power cord from the power outlet, hold the plug, do not pull the wire.
- Switch off the main power when the unit is not in use. (Disconnect the power plug from the power outlet when you do not intend to use the unit for a prolonged period of time.)
- Before moving the unit, remove the disc from the unit's tray first.
- Do not open the cover or touch any of the components inside the unit.
- Do not install or operate the unit directly exposed to sunlight or nearby objects radiating heat that may lead to overheating and danger to the unit.
- Do not install or operate the unit near moisture or humidity that may affect the laser head.
- Install the unit on flat surface with good air circulation. Do not cover the ventilation holes on the unit in any manner. The unit could possibly overheat and malfunction.
- Wipe the panel and case with soft dry cloth only. Do not apply any kind of thinner, alcohol or sprays when cleaning the unit.

## **Player Overview**

#### **Front Panel**

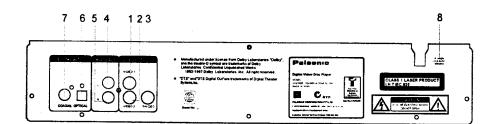


- 1. Power button
- 5.Mic 2 volume knob
- 6. DVD disc tray
- 3. Microphone 2 Jack 4. Mic 1 volume knob

2. Microphone 1 Jack

- 7. VFD display
- 8. Pause button
- 9. Fast backward button
- 10. Fast forward button
- 11.Play button
- 12. Previous button
- 13. Next Button
- 14. Stop button
- 15. Open/Close button

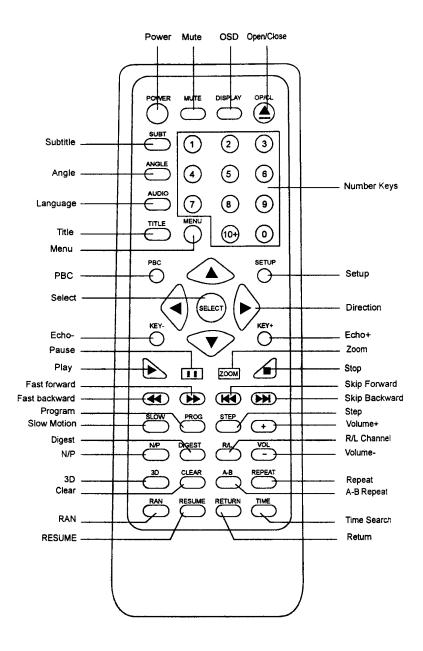
#### **Rear Panel**



- 1. Composite video output 1
- 2. Composite video output 2
- 3. S-video output
- 4. Left audio output
- 5. Right audio output
- 6. Optical
- 7. Digital audio coaxial output
- 8. Power cord

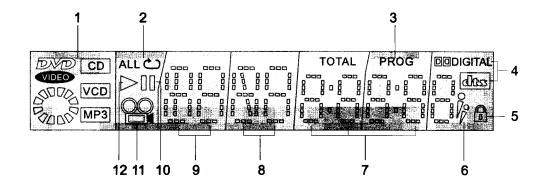
## **Player Overview**

#### **Remote Control:**



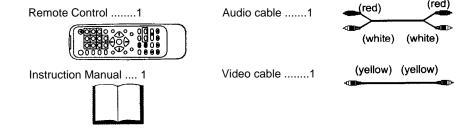
## **Player Overview**

### **Front Panel Display**

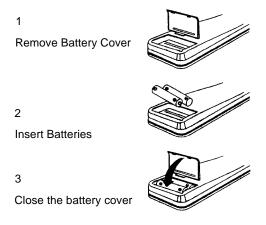


- 1. Disc Indication
- 2. Repeat
- 3. Program.
- 4. Dolby DiAC-3 & DTS indication
- 5. DTS lock/unlock
- 6. Microphone
- 7. Time indication
- 8. Chapter indication
- 9. Title indication
- 10. Pause
- 11. Multi-angle
- 12. Play indication

#### **Accessories**



#### **Remote Control Operation**



Care of remote control:

- Aim remote control toward remote sensor of unit.
- Do not drop the unit.
- Store remote in a cool, dry place.
- Do not sprinkle water or other liquid on remote control.
- Do not unpack remote control.

Point remote control directly toward the remote sensor.

within 25 feet

 Please operate remote control within the distance of 25 feet away from the unit.

Note:

 Do not expose remote control sensor directly to the heat source, or it will cause remote control to malfunction.

## **System Connection:**

#### **Video Connection**

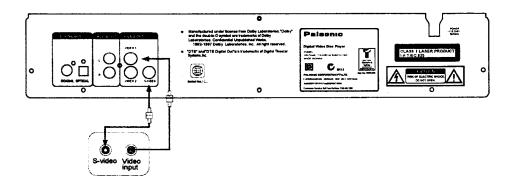
• The unit supports two choices of video output: composite video and S-video output.

#### **Composite Video Output**

• Connect the supplied video cable (yellow) to the video output (yellow) of the unit and to the video input of your TV or monitor.

#### **S-Video Output**

 Connect an S-video cable (not induded) to the S-video output of the unit and to the S-video input of your TV or monitor.



- Select the type of connection depending on the TV/monitor input.
- Only one video connection type is needed.

#### **System Connection**

#### **Audio Connection**

 The unit supports two choices of audio output Analog Audio and Digital Audio. Analog Audio is stereo (2 channel). Digital Audio provides optical and coaxial outputs. Digital Audio provides 5.1 channels using an external decoder.

#### **Stereo Output**

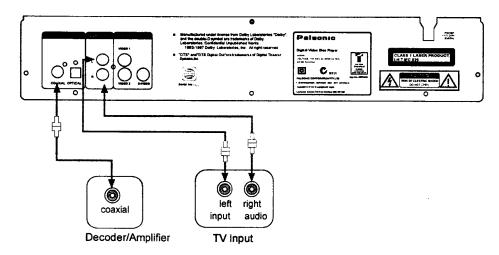
• Connect the audio cable to the audio out of the unit and to the stereo input of the TVor amplifier.

#### **Coaxial Output**

 Connect a coaxial cable to the coaxial output of the unit and to the corresponding digital input of your decoder/amplifier.

#### **Optical output**

 Connect an optical cable to the optical output of the unit and to the corresponding digital input of your decoder/amplifier.



- Select the type of connection depending on your peripheral equipment.
- If a decoder/amplifier with coaxial or optical inputs is available, you can enjoy DTS and Dolby Digital soundtracks
- Please refer to the instructions of your other equipment, and power off the unit and the other equipment before connecting.

## **Setup Before Operation**

Before operation, please make sure the following setup is correct

| 1 Audio Output | The unit has three choices of audio output: 2 channel (Lt/Rt). Stereo PCM, Digital. Select different setup depending on your connection. For more information, please refer to "System Setup (page 30).   |
|----------------|---|
| 2 Video Output | The unit has three choices of video output: Composite video, S-video, and Component video output. Select different setup depending on your connection. For more information, please refer to System Setup |

#### Note:

- DVD disc can support different scale of pictures. maybe picture is not full screen or part of picture has been blocked.
- The manual refers to English OSD.

#### Types of Discs That Can Be Used

| Disc                | Size       | Symbol                            | Content     |
|---------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| DVD                 | 12 0 8 6 h | VIDEO                             | audio+video |
| MP3                 | 12         | PLAYS<br>MP3                      | audio       |
| Video CD<br>(VCD)   | 12 0 6 cm  | DISTIAL VIDEO VIDEO CD            | audio+video |
| Audio CD<br>(CD-DA) | 12 O 8 cm  | COMPACT<br>CISC<br>DIGITAL AUDIO  | audio       |
| Kodak picture CD    | 12 0 6 6 6 | Kodak<br>Picture CD<br>COMPATIBLE | video       |

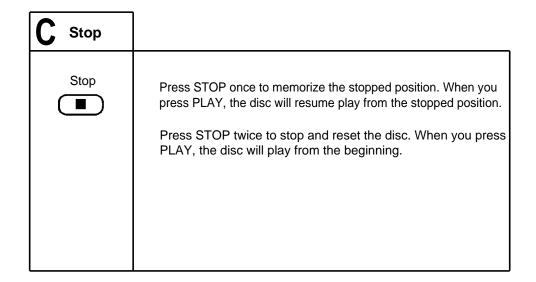
### **Basic Playback**

| A Getting<br>Started |   |
|----------------------|---|
| Power                | Power on the unit. Press POWER button on front panel. Power indicator will light. |
| Open/Close           | Press Open/Close to open t.he tray  |
| 3                    | Place disc on the tray<br>with label side up.                                     |
| Open/Close           | Press Open/Close again, the tray will close and begin to play disc.               |

- Do not move the unit during operation, or the disc may be damaged.
- Do not touch the tray while it is moving, or the unit may malfunction.
- Do not press the tray or place foreign objects on the tray, or the unit may malfunction.

### **Basic Playback**

| B Changing Discs |  |
|------------------|--|
| Open/Close       | Press Open/Close<br>Replace the disc after the tray is fully open.   |
|                  | Note:  • Press the button again after replacing the disc.  • Do not press the button while the unit is loading the disc. |



## Playing the desired title, chapter and time

Usually, DVD discs are divided into titles and titles are divided into chapters.

| A Title<br>Menu | If the disc contains multiple titles, it may have a Title menu to access them.   |  |  |  |
|-----------------|--|--|--|--|
| 1 TITLE         | Press TITLE to display the title menu.  TITLE 1  TITLE 2  TITLE 3  TITLE 4   |  |  |  |
|                 | Use the arrow keys to select the desired title. You can use the 0-9 keys to select the title if numbers are indicated in the Title menu. |  |  |  |
| 3               | Press SELECT to start playback from the first chapter of the selected title.   |  |  |  |

| B Skip<br>Playback              |   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Skip backward  K4  Skip forward | Press 	or ▶ Press 	to skip to the previous chapter.  Press 	 to skip to the next chapter. |

- Some discs do not display the title contents after pressing TITLE.
- The operation may vary according to the DVD disc.

## Playing the desired title, chapter and time

| C                       | You can choose your desired title, chapter and time.  |  |
|-------------------------|---|--|
| Search                  | Press SEARCH button, displaying: TITLE 01/01 CHAPTER 00/018 For example:  |  |
| 2                       | Press the Search button to select Time Search, Chapter Search or Title Search.  |  |
| 3<br>1000<br>000<br>000 | Press the 0-9 keys to enter the time (hours, minutes and seconds) or the number of the title or chapter.  1 - 2 - 3 - 5 - 0  For Example: Time  1 : 23 : 50 |  |
| 4 Select                | Press SELECT to start playback from the selected time, chapter or title.  |  |

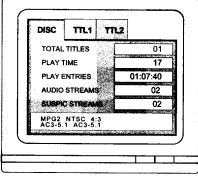
#### **DVD PBC Playback**

## A

You can use an alternative means of disc navigation for DVDs.

#### Close navigational system

Press PBC button and the screen will display a summary of the disc contents:



Press the left/right buttons to select different titles. The relevant information for the selected title will be displayed. Press the SELECT key to play the selected title. You can also press the 0-9 keys to start playback of the desired tile.

## В

Program playback

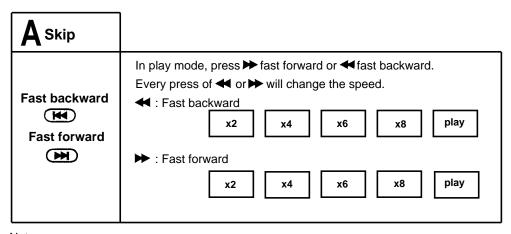
Press PROGRAM to select a chapter within the title. Pressing again will clear the mode.

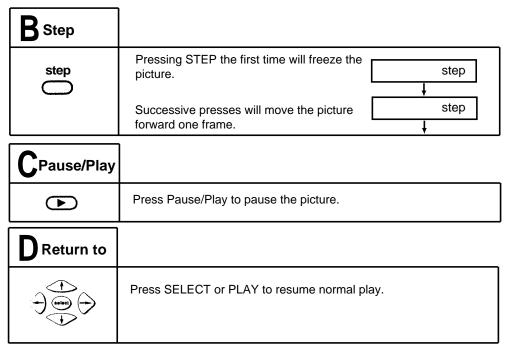


Return to navigational system

Pressing PBC returns you to the discs navigational system, which is the normal mode of operation.

### **Special Playback Features**

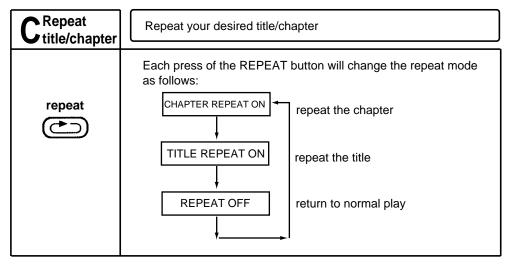




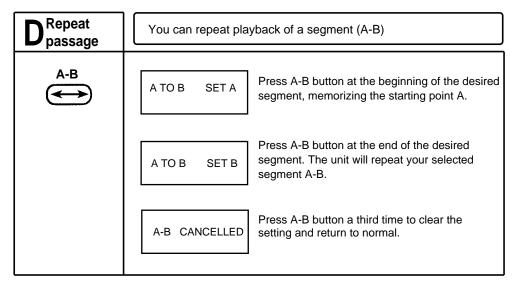
Note: • The unit will be muted during step playback.

#### **Special Playback Features**

You can set chapters/titles to repeat.

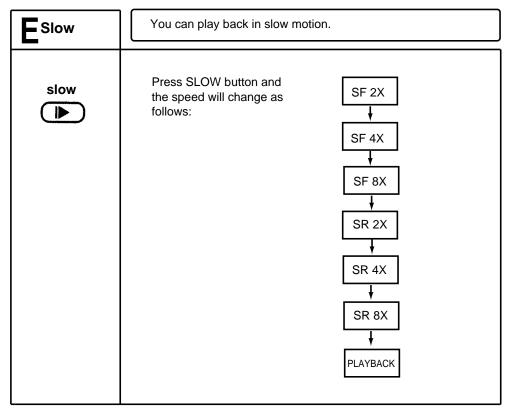


Note: • Some discs do not support repeat playback.



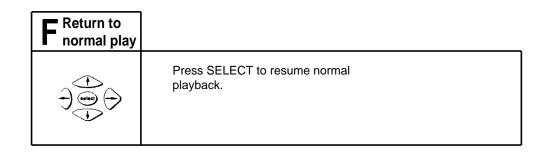
- The repeated segment can only be selected in the current title.
- A-B Repeat can not be used for multi-angle segments.

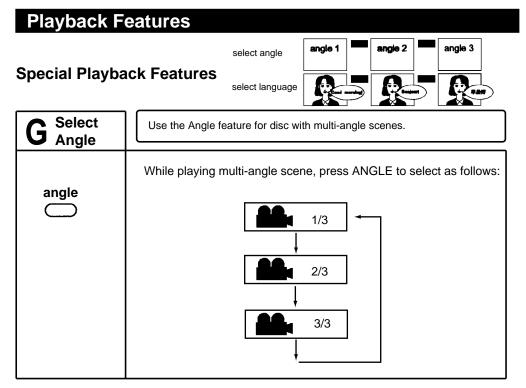
## **Special Playback Features**



Note:

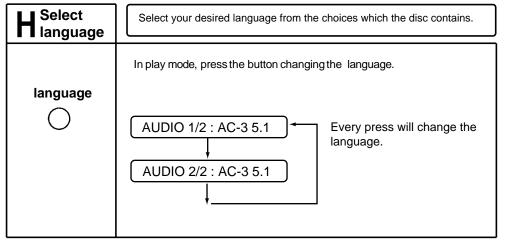
• Audio will be muted during slow motion.





#### Note:

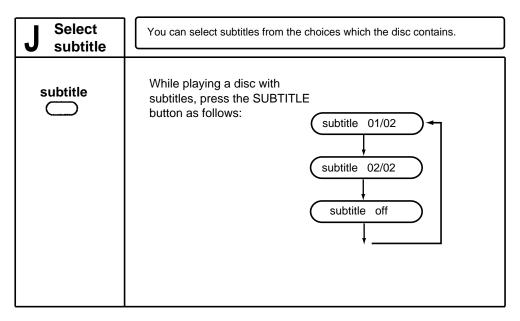
• While playing a multi-angle scene, the angle will always be displayed on the screen if the angle is set to ON in the setup menu.



- The unit will return to the default setup when you turn on the unit or when you change discs.
- The unit will play the original language if you select a language the DVD disc does not contain.

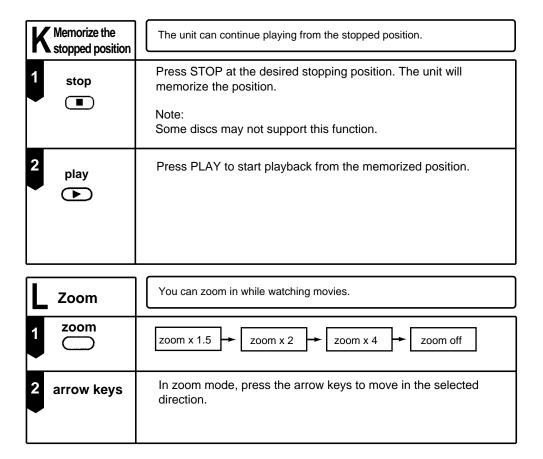
### **Special Playback Features**

| Mute |  |
|------|--|
| mute | Press MUTE to turn off the audio. Press MUTE again to resume normal sound. |



- The unit will return to default setup when you turn on the device or when you change the disc.
- The unit will display the original subtitle language if you select a subtitle not contained in the disc.
- The subtitle may take a few moments to change.
- Not all discs contain subtitles.

### **Special Playback Features**



## Playing VCDs:

| track 1 | track 2 | VCD -<br>track 3 | track 5 |
|---------|---------|------------------|---------|
|         |         |                  |         |

VCDs are divided into multiple tracks.

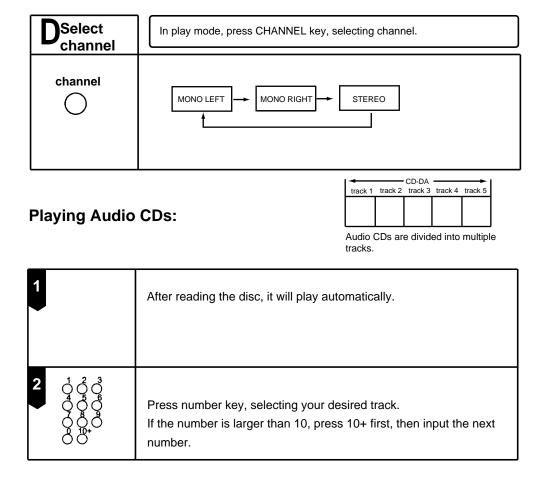
| A Play from menu          | If the disc contains a PBC menu, you can select PBC playback The unit will enter PBC automatically.  |  |  |
|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| 1 PBC                     | In stop mode, press PBC button, displaying:  Note:  Not all VCDs contain PBC menus.  After reading the disc, the PBC menu will be displayed automatically (if the disc contains a PBC menu). |  |  |
|                           | Press the arrow keys to choose the desired track, then press SELECT.  For example:  1  |  |  |
| 3<br>-0-0-0-0<br>-0-0-0-0 | Alternatively, press the 0-9 keys to select the desired track. To select a number larger than 0, press 10+ first, then input the next number   |  |  |
| 4 return                  | In play mode, press RETURN to enter the PBC menu.  |  |  |
| skip forward              | Press ➡ to skip the next page.  Press ➡ to skip the previous page.   |  |  |
| skip backwards            | Note:<br>Some discs may have multi-page<br>menus   |  |  |

## Playing VCDs:

| B | Play your desired sequence                   |  |               |   |
|---|--|--|---------------|---|
| 1 | program                                      | In stop mode, press PROGRAM.   | PROGRAM 00:00 | ) |
| 2 | ~~~~~<br>~~~~~<br>~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ | Press SELECT key, selecting your desired track. If the number is larger than 10, press 10+first, then input the next number. |               |   |
| 3 |  | Press PLAY key, entering program play.   |               |   |
| 4 | program                                      | In program mode, press PROGRAM to clear the play mode.   |               |   |

### **Playing VCDs:**

Often different channels on VCDs contain different languages.



- Press Mor to select the previous or next track.
- Press SEARCH to select playback time.

## **Playing MP3 File**

| ı | -       | — fold  | der ——  | <b></b> | -       | folder- | <b>→</b> |
|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
|   | track 1 | track 2 | track 3 | track 4 | track 1 | track 2 | track 3  |
|   |         |         |         |         |         |         |          |
|   |         |         |         |         |         |         |          |
|   |         |         |         |         |         |         |          |

MP3 discs are divided into folders and tracks.

|                          | Will 5 discs are divided into folders and tracks.   |
|--------------------------|---|
| A Select track           |   |
| 1                        | The folder menu will be displayed after reading the disc.   |
|                          | Press the arrow keys to select the desired folder.  |
| 3                        | Press SELECT to enter the item. Press the arrow keys to select the desired track, then press SELECT to play the track.                                    |
| B Select track directly  |   |
| ~~~~~<br>~~~~~<br>~~~~~~ | You can also press the 0-9 keys to select the desired track. If you want to select a number larger than 10, press 10+ first, then enter the second digit. |
| Return to                |   |

| C Return to title menu |  |
|------------------------|--|
| stop                   | Press STOP to stop playback. Press RETURN to return to the title menu. |

| DSelect play mode |   |
|-------------------|---|
| repeat            | Press REPEAT to select the playback mode: |
|                   | REP-ONE, FOLDER-REP, FOLDER               |

#### Note:

 $\bullet$  Press  $\blacktriangleright\!\!\!\blacktriangleleft$  or  $\blacktriangleright\!\!\!\!\blacktriangleleft$  to select the previous or next track.

## **Viewing Kodak Picture CDs:**

| ı | -        | - conte  | ent 1    | <b>→</b> | <b> </b> ← — | content 2 | ≥        |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|-----------|----------|
|   | picture1 | picture2 | picture3 | picture4 | picture1     | picture2  | picture3 |
|   |          |          |          |          |              |           |          |
|   |          |          |          |          |              |           |          |
|   |          |          |          |          |              | l         |          |

Kodak CDs are picture divided into content and pictures.

| A Select content |  |
|------------------|--|
| 1                | Insert the disc to display the content menu.   |
| 2                | Use the arrow keys to select the desired content, then press SELECT.   |
| 3                | Press the arrow keys to select the desired picture, then press SELECT to view the picture.   |
| 4                | Press up to play in a clockwise direction, and press down to play counterclockwise. Press left to roll left and right. Press right to roll up and down |

| Belect picture directly |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| ~~~~<br>~~~~<br>~~~~~   | You can also use the number keys to select the desired picture. To select a number larger than 10, first press 10+ then enter the second number. |

| C 9-picture digest |  |
|--------------------|--|
|                    | Press MENU to display a 9-picture digest. Press ◄ or ▶ will turn pages repeatedly. |

## On-Screen Messages

## **Playback Displays**

You can see the number of the current chapter, title, time remaining and elapsed time of the current chapter and title.

| 1<br>DI    | SPLAY  | Press DISPLAY once to display the elapsed time of the current title.           | TITLE 01/01 CHAPTER 003/018 00:02:03     |
|------------|--------|--|--|
| 2<br>DI    | SPLAY  | Press DISPLAY twice to display the time remaining in the current title.        | TITLE REMAIN<br>00:01:03                 |
| 3<br>DI    | ISPLAY | Press DISPLAY three times to display the elapsed time of the current chapter.  | CHAPTER ELAPSED<br>00:01:03              |
| 4 D        | ISPLAY | Press DISPLAY four times to display the time remaining in the current chapter. | CHAPTER REMAIN<br>.00:10:30<br>.00:10:00 |
| <b>5</b> D | ISPLAY | Press DISPLAY five times to turn off the time display.                         |  |

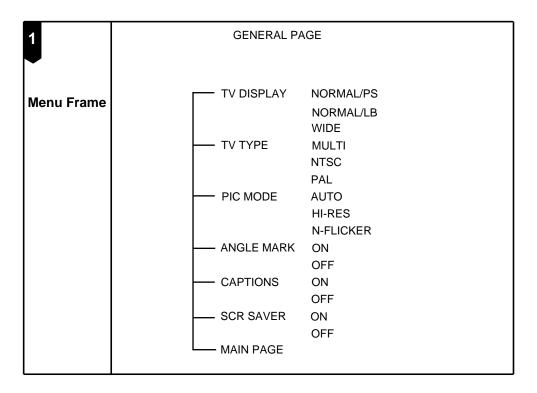
#### Note:

• Display information will be different if the disc is not a DVD.

## **Menu Operation**

| 1 | Press SETUP to display the setup menu.  |
|---|---|
| 2 | Press the arrow keys to move to the desired item, then press SELECT to confirm.   |
| 3 | Press SETUP again to exit the menu.  1. The corresponding indication will appear on the bottom of screen when moving the cursor to selected item.  2. Gray (dimmed) items cannot be set.  3. The setup will be saved after powering off the unit. |

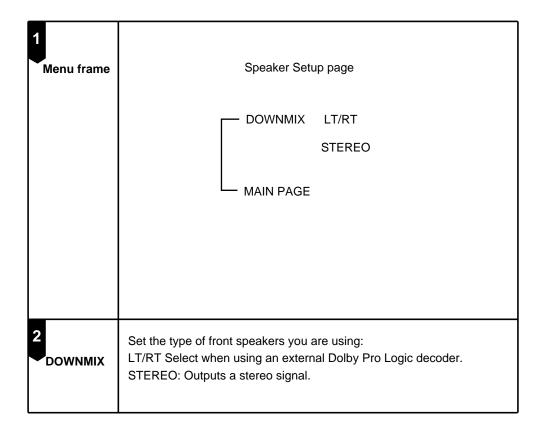
#### **GENERAL SETUP MENU**



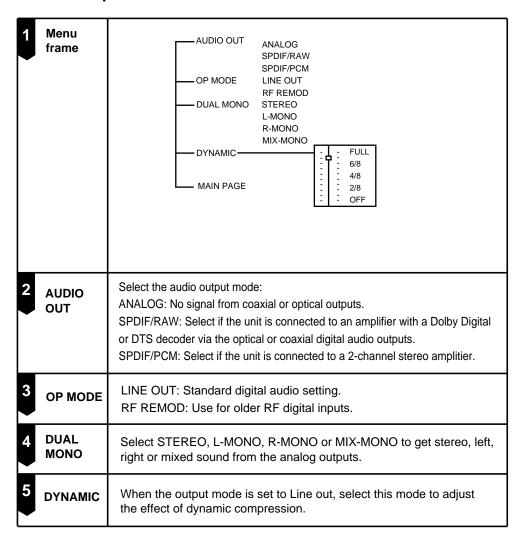
## **General Setup Page**

| TV DISPLAY   | A. NORMAL/PS - Select to view DVD movies full screen on a standard 4:3 television.  Movies will be cropped (using a technique called Pan & Scan) to fit your television.  B. NORMAL/LB - Select to view DVD movies in letterbox format (black bars will appear above and below the image).  C. WIDE - Select if you have a widescreen television. |
|--------------|---|
| 3 TV TYPE    | To setup the video output to adapt TV.  |
| PIC MODE     | A. AUTO - Automatically selects the optimal Still Mode by detecting motion in the scene.  B. HI-RES - Select if you want to see fine text more clearly than in AUTO mode.  C. N-FLICKER - Select if the screen shakes in AUTO mode.   |
| 5 ANGLE MARK | When playing multi-angle DVD discs, select whether the angle should be displayed.   |
| 6 SCR SAVER  | When the unit is in stop or freeze mode, a screensaver will appear several minutes later to protect your television screen.   |

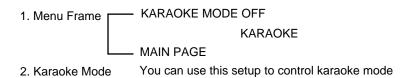
## **Speaker Setup**



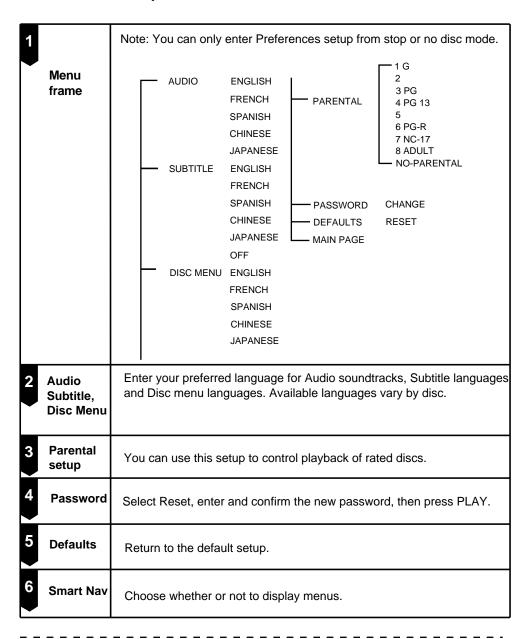
#### **Audio Setup**



#### KARAOKE SETUP



#### **Preferences Setup**



Current Password: 8806

## Troubleshooting

## **Symptoms and Solutions**

If you have any questions, please refer to the following table before seeking service.

| Not connected  Video cable not securely connected  Audio cable not securely connected  External amplifier/decoder off  Incorrect audio output setting  Disc is dirty  Distortion in fast forward or backward mode | Connect audio cable  Power on amplifier/decoder  Set to correct mode                        |
|---|---|
| Audio cable not securely connected External amplifier/decoder off Incorrect audio output setting Disc is dirty  | Connect audio cable  Power on amplifier/decoder  Set to correct mode                        |
| External amplifier/decoder off Incorrect audio output setting Disc is dirty   | Power on amplifier/decoder  Set to correct mode   |
| Incorrect audio output setting Disc is dirty  | Set to correct mode   |
| Disc is dirty   |   |
| -   | Olean dies autw. austleen aus   |
| Distortion in fast forward or backward mode   | Clean disc or try another one   |
| Distortion in last forward or backward fillode  | Normal condition.   |
| External equipment  |   |
| No disc   | Insert disc   |
| Disc not readable   | Insert readable disc (check disc type)  |
| Disc loaded upside down   | Replace disc with label side up   |
| Disc incorrectly loaded   | Load the disc correctly   |
| Disc is dirty   | Clean the disc  |
| TV screen has menu  | Press Setup to turn off the menu.   |
| Parental lock enabled   | Unlock it or change the rating  |
| Abnormal condition  | Switch on/off power or unplug/replug the power cord.  |
| Remote not pointed directly at unit   | Point remote directly at IR sensor.  Operate remote within 25 feet                          |
|   | Disc incorrectly loaded Disc is dirty V screen has menu Parental lock enabled Disc is dirty |

## Specifications

## **DVD Player/Output**

## **DVD Player**

| Power Supply        | 110-240V AC 50/60Hz                             |
|---------------------|---|
| Power Consumption   | 25W   |
| Weight              | 3.6 Kg  |
| Dimension           | 430 x 82 x 260 (W/H/D)                          |
| Video System        | PAL   |
| Laser               | SL Beam, wave length: 650nm                     |
| Frequency Response  | DVD audio: 48KHz PCM 4Hz~22Hz                   |
|                     | 96KHz PCM 4Hz~44KHz                             |
| S/N Ratio           | Audio CD 4Hz~20KHz<br>>90db                     |
| Audio Dynamic Range | >90db   |
| Rotating Ratio      | Within measurable range                         |
| Operation Condition | Temperature 0-4OC; Operation status: horizontal |

## Output

| Video Output                | 1.0 V(P-P), 75 $\Omega$       |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| S-video Output              | (Y) 1.0 V(P-P), 75 $\Omega$   |
|                             | (C) 0.286 V(P-P), 75 $\Omega$ |
| Audio Output (Analog Audio) | 2.0 V(rms)                    |

## **Additional Information**

#### Care of discs:

Do not touch the surface.



Do not add labels or adhesive tapes on discs.



#### Cleaning of discs:

Fingerprints or stains on the discs surface will directly affect signal recording and result in poor picture quality. Therefore, use a soft cloth and wipe in a circular manner from the center to the outer edges when cleaning the disc.





If the surface of your disc is very dirty, wipe the disc with a moist cloth. Finally use a dry soft cloth to remove all the water stains.

Never use electrostatic prevention products or solutions which contain benzene, thinner or any other vaporizing substances, as they may damage the disc surface.

#### Storage of disc:

Do not keep the disc in direct sunlight, near a heat source, in dusty places or near moisture (kitchen, bathroom). Keep the disc vertically in the disc storage case. Heavy objects on the disc case will cause deformation of the disc.

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